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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Steven D. GOODMAN, et al.

Serial No. 10/614,072 Filed: July 2, 2003

PREVENTING TOOTH DECAY AND INFECTIVE For:

ENDOCARDITIS USING NATURAL OLIGOPEPTIDES

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application:

Small entity status has been claimed. See 37 CFR § 1.27.

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TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	16	]-	20	**		LG=\$50 SM=\$25	\$	\$ .
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS  LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$360 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$180								\$
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Respectfully submitted, HOGAN & HARTSON L.L.P.

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**AMENDMENT** <u>UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116</u>

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated May 19, 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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Examiner: Lakia J. Tongue

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